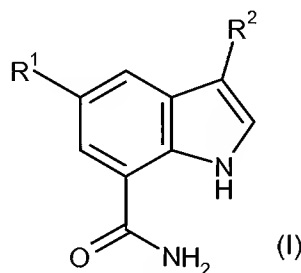


Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Previously presented): A compound of Formula (I):



wherein R^1 represents H, halogen, or a group -YZ;

Y represents a bond (i.e. is absent), C_{1-6} alkylene or C_{2-6} alkenylene;

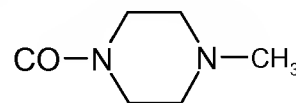
Z represents an aryl or heteroaryl group each comprising 5-14 ring members, said aryl or heteroaryl being optionally substituted by one or more substituents independently selected from halogen, OH, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, CN, C_{1-6} hydroxyalkyl, phenyl, O-(CH₂)₁₋₆-phenyl, $NHSO_2R^3$, $NHCOR^3$, $CONR^4R^5$, $SO_2NR^4R^5$;

R^3 , R^4 and R^5 independently represent H or C_{1-6} alkyl;

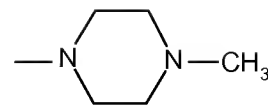
R^2 represents a group -Y¹Z¹;

Y¹ represents a bond (i.e. is absent), C_{1-6} alkylene, C_{2-6} alkenylene;

Z¹ represents a 6 membered heterocycle which is 4-piperidyl which may be optionally substituted by



one or more substituents independently selected from SO_2R^6 , $NHSO_2R^6$, COR^7 , NR^7R^8 , $SO_2NR^7R^8$, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, halogen, $CONR^7R^8$, $NHCOR^7$, or phenyl (directly attached or attached by a C_{1-6} alkylene, CONH, C_{2-6} alkenylene spacer



and optionally-substituted by one or more substituent selected from C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy, OH, halogen);

R^6 represents H, C_{1-6} alkyl, $-(CH_2)_n$ phenyl or $-(CH_2)_n$ naphthyl (where n is 0 or 1 and each of which phenyl or naphthyl may be optionally substituted by one or more substituents independently selected from C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, halogen, NR^7R^8 , C_{1-6} haloalkyl, C_{1-6} haloalkoxy), CN or $-(O)_p$ phenyl (where p is 0 or 1 and the phenyl is optionally substituted by one or more substituents independently selected from halogen, C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{1-6} alkoxy));

R^7 and R^8 independently represents C_{1-6} alkyl, H, C_{1-6} alkylene NR^9R^{10} ; and

R^9 and R^{10} independently represents C_{1-6} alkyl, H;

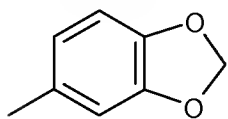
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. (Original): A compound according to claim 1 wherein R^1 is YZ.

3. (Original): A compound according to claim 2 wherein Y is a bond or $-CH = CH-$.

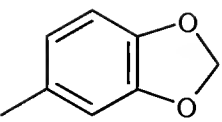
4. (Original): A compound according to claim 3 wherein Y is a bond.

5. (Previously presented): A compound according to claim 1 wherein Z is phenyl (which may be unsubstituted or substituted once or twice by substituents independently selected from C_{1-3} alkoxy, CN, OH, phenyl, $-OCH_2$ phenyl $NHSO_2R^3$, $NHCO_2R^3$, $CONR^4R^5$, $SO_2NR^4R^5$, halogen, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-4} alkyl) or a heteroaryl group selected from benzofuranyl, quinolinyl,



, pyrimidinyl, thiophenyl, isoxazolyl, pyridinyl (each of which may be optionally substituted by one or two groups independently selected from C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-3} alkoxy, halogen).

6. (Original): A compound according to claim 5 wherein Z is phenyl (which is unsubstituted or substituted once by a substituent selected from phenyl, OCH_2 phenyl, $NHSO_2CH_3$, $NHCOCH_3$, $CONH_2$, $CON(CH_3)_2$, Cl, F, OCH_3 , CN, OH, CH_2OH , CH_3 , $C(CH_3)_3$) or a heterocyclic group selected

from benzofuranyl, quinolinyl, , pyrimidinyl, thiophenyl, benzothiophenyl, isoxazolyl, pyridinyl (each of which is substituted or is substituted once by a group selected from -OCH₃, CH₃, F).

7. (Original): A compound according to claim 6 wherein Z is phenyl (which is unsubstituted or substituted once by a substituent selected from phenyl, OCH₂ phenyl, NHSO₂CH₃, NHCOCH₃, CONH₂, CON(CH₃)₂, Cl, F, OCH₃, CN, OH, CH₂OH, CH₃, C(CH₃)₃).

8. (Original): A compound according to claim 7 wherein Z is phenyl.

Claims 9-10 (Cancelled)

11. (Previously presented): A compound according to claim 1, wherein Y¹ is a bond or C₁₋₃ alkylene.

Claim 12 (Cancelled)

13. (Previously presented): A compound according to claim 1, wherein Z¹ is a 6 membered heterocycle which is 4-piperidyl substituted by SO₂R⁶.

Claims 14-18 (Cancelled)

19. (Previously presented): A pharmaceutical composition, comprising a compound as claimed in claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof and one or more of pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, diluents and excipients.

Claims 20-41 (Cancelled)